GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Global sale of **2800 MTs**. of Red Sanders Wood in log form through global e-tender-cum e-auction -Approval of Special Terms and Conditions - Appointment of M/s MSTC Ltd. as the agency for conducting e-auction services and Andhra Pradesh Forest Development Corporation Ltd, to provide necessary marketing services to the Government of Andhra Pradesh - Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FOREST, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (Section-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O. RT. No. 272 **Dated:04 -11-2016**

Read the following:-

1. From the DGFT, Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, GoI, Notification No.47(RE-2013)/2009-2014, Dated.24.10.2013, Notification No.96(R.E-2013)/2009-2014, Dated.5.11.2014, Notification No. 6 /2015-2020, Dated. 6-5-2015 and Notification No. 24 /2015-2020, Dt. 29-8-2016.
2. G.O Rt. No. 203, EFS&T (Section-II) Department, Dated.27-7-2016
3. From PCCF & HoFF, A.P, Lr Rc No.19920/2015/Prod.2, Dated.8-8-2016.
4. From PCCF & HoFF, A.P, Lr Rc No.11159/2016/Prod.2, Dtaed. 17-10-2016 & 1-11-2016

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ORDER:-

The Director General of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India, New Delhi in their Notification first read above has accorded permission to the State Government of Andhra Pradesh to export 8,584.1363 MTs. of Red Sanders Wood in log form.

2. In the reference second read above, the Government have constituted a Tender Committee under the Chairmanship of Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh to work out the modalities for sale of Red Sanders wood through global e-tender cum e-auction.

3. The Government, after careful examination of the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh received in the references 3rd & 4th read above, hereby accept the recommendations of the Tender Committee as summarized below:-

I. The Special Terms and Conditions for conducting global e-tender-cum- e-auction proposed by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, are hereby approved for adoption

II. The Andhra Pradesh Forest Development Corporation Limited, Hyderabad is hereby engaged to provide management services to Government of Andhra Pradesh for sale of Red Sanders in the most transparent and competitive manner. The Andhra Pradesh Forest Development Corporation Limited is permitted to charge administrative expenditure to the extent of 2% of the sale proceeds, subject to the limit of Rs.5.00 Crores in each sale plus service tax.

III. Government orders for sale of red Sanders Wood of about **2800 MTs**, in log form through e-tender-cum-e-auction by inviting global tenders through transparent and competitive process. Accordingly, the Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh Forest Development Corporation Ltd. is directed to issue tender notification reputed International and National publications and specialized journals targeting the potential buyers, across the World especially in the China in the local languages.

IV. The Vice Chairman & Managing Director,, Andhra Pradesh Forest Development Corporation Ltd. is directed to circulate copies of the tender notification to the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) and all ambassadors and foreign Missions especially that of China, Japan, Malaysia, Singapore, UAE, Thailand and Indonesia and Indian embassies in China, Japan, Malaysia, Singapore, UAE, Thailand and Indonesia etc.

V. The Andhra Pradesh Forest Development Corporation Limited is authorized to engage the services of M/s MSTC Ltd. for conducting the sale of Red Sanders Wood through global e-tender- cum e-auction on mutually agreed terms and conditions.

VI. The Government hereby authorize the Tender Committee to make any improvements in the process of sale that would maximize returns to the State.

4. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, and the Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh Forest Development Corporation Ltd., are requested to take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)
Dr. P.V. RAMESH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Head of Forest Force,
Andhra Pradesh, Guntur.

The Vice Chairman & Managing Director,
Andhra Pradesh Forest Development Corporation Ltd., Hyderabad.
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P.S to Chief Secretary to Government.

P.S to Special Chief Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

P.S to Hon'ble Minister for Forest, Environment, Science & Technology and Co-operation.

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